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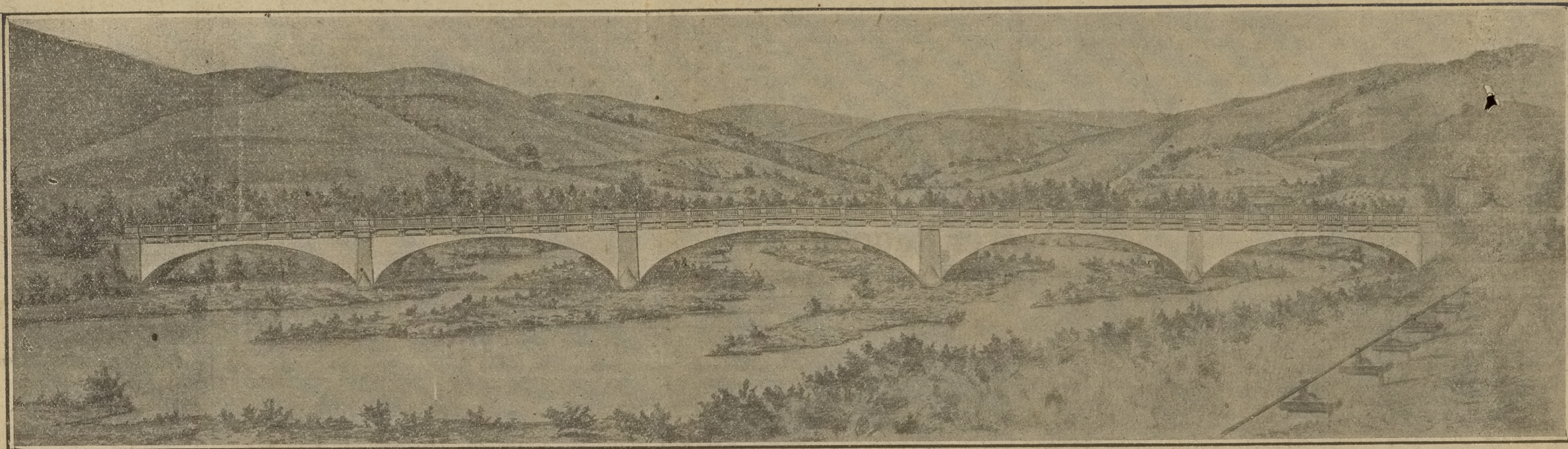
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NILES, WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP, ALAMEDA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, SATURDAY, JULY 6, 1912.

NO. 20.

Supervisors Order \$70,000 Structure to Span Alameda Creek at Niles



BIG BRIDGE IS SECURED

Murphy's Work for Permanent Structure Ends in Success With Entire Board Voting for Immediate Construction

ALREADY ADVERTISING FOR BIDS

Will Cost In Neighborhood of \$70,000 and be One of the Finest Structures of Its Kind in the State of California—Murphy Deserves Credit for His Persistency and Success

NILES, July 5—The new Niles bridge is an assured fact and this community will soon be able to point proudly to the handsomest concrete structure in the state of California. The Board of Supervisors of Alameda county on Monday last declared that this bridge should be completed at once and that work should begin so that the structure could be finished before the first high water in the winter, and as soon as this declaration that the work was an urgent necessity was made advertisements were ordered for bids upon the work.

This piece of work is the crowning triumph of the administration of D. J. Murphy. Supervisor Murphy has worked hard and conscientiously for the roadwork, bridges and improvements of Washington Township in his entire district. He has given his time and attention and his best energies to his duties and he has paid especial attention to the matters upon this side of the hills for fear that it might be said that he was giving too much work to his home section, and now he has brought

to a successful conclusion his campaign for the Niles bridge.

This was the hardest piece of work that Supervisor Murphy has attempted and it was beset with danger at every turn of the road, and no one could have harmonized the contending elements that threatened to defeat the hopes of the citizens of Niles and the wishes of the supervisor from this district except Mr. Murphy.

It was not even a two-thirds majority which would have left one member of the board to object and still have the authority necessary to begin the work. But it required, what might be considered an impossible thing to get on this board of supervisors—an absolutely complete vote of the Board. Bridge and Kelley had to forget their differences with Mullins and Foss and harmonize upon the plan of Supervisor Murphy for the betterment of his district.

There are some who are well acquainted with the multitude of difficulties that there are in the county government who said that this could not be done. It was an odds on bet that the five members of the board could not be made to stand together. But Supervisor Murphy said that the fight was worth making and that he was going to get the bridge for Niles if there was any way to bring it about, and had not Murphy been thoroughly popular with both factions in the board, this could not have been done.

First came Foss and Mullins. Both of these supervisors have their districts wholly within the incorporated cities of Oakland and Berk-

ley and both are up for re-election again this fall. The bay cities care little about improvements for Niles when their taxes are being boosted skyward, so there was an ever present danger there. Then opposition upon factional lines might have been expected from either Bridge or Kelley.

But Supervisor Murphy has the respect and confidence of each of the contending factions, and when he made his last stand and asked that his district be recognized for what was needed and what was right and that factional differences and any personal considerations be set aside he was given the unlimited support of the board. It was a great personal victory for Supervisor Murphy and he has done a splendid piece of work for this section.

It is not alone that Niles has secured a splendid improvement, for that improvement was needed, but the triumph of Supervisor Murphy lies in the difficulties he overcame to secure this improvement. He has done what few would have been able to accomplish and what he has done and is doing for this section is the best guarantee of what he can do and will do in the future.

The matter came up before the Board of Supervisors on Monday morning after it had been discussed several times and from many points of view. The difficulties that beset the accomplishment of this plan were thoroughly understood, and yet Supervisor Murphy was working harder than ever. County Surveyor P. A. Haviland had prepared the plans and estimates, and everything had been submitted to the individual members of the board.

Supervisor Murphy had taken his conferees over the ground so that they might make a personal inspection of the needs of the district. He had shown each member the unsightly and unsafe temporary work that had been done on the old bridge after the floods of eighteen months ago. He told them that of all times

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OLD GLORY FLOATS IN GENTLE BREEZE

Irvington's Flag Raising and Celebration a Pronounced Success and Largely Attended

IRVINGTON, July 5—Irvington's Fourth of July celebration was a success from every standpoint, and was attended by practically the entire countryside, filling the town's streets to overflowing and demonstrating that the same feeling toward Irvington exists now as in the past—that it is a good place to go for a good time.

Probably the most appropriate event of the day and fitting into the succession of events very nicely, was the flag raising ceremony, conducted under the charge of J. E. Wamsley. First introducing the Reverend J. Durham, who led the assemblage in prayer, the speaker next introduced Miss Julia Rix, who read the Declaration of Independence. Following this was the address of the speaker, who stirringly told of the country's flag from its time of adoption to date and mentioned the rough and rocky way it had often been compelled to travel. And Irvington, proud indeed, that it possessed a newly made emblem, desired a fitting ceremony when the breezes should first kiss the glorious colors. As the speaker concluded, amid the strain of popular airs, the big square of color was raised.

A ball game in the morning between Newark and Niles and another in the afternoon, between Irvington and Decoto, attracted a large attendance at each game. A free barbecue, conducted by Ed Roderick, kept all from hunger's door and a merry-go-round, the usual "snake eaters," vaudeville, and other concessions were also present.

SEVEN INSTEAD OF EIGHT TEACHERS AT HIGH SCHOOL

CENTERVILLE, July 5—At a meeting of the trustees of the Union High School, held this week, it was decided to engage the services of but seven teachers instead of eight the coming year. Happily the change is made without working a hardship on anyone, Miss Knies and Miss Bernard both resigning while Miss L. Smith is to fill the one vacancy. The latter will teach the commercial course and will also instruct in French.

ASSOCIATED CHAMBER TO MEET NEXT WEDNESDAY

IRVINGTON, July 6—The Associated Chambers of Commerce will meet at Irvington on the evening of July 10th, the regular meeting, due to take place on the 4th, being put off until that time. Discussion over the water question and other vital matters of importance to the community will take place at the new gathering.

EACH DISTRICT CAN BE REPRESENTED

New Fair Commission Makes First Report and Tells of Tentative Plans Concerning Labors

OAKLAND, July 5—The Alameda County Exposition Commission made its first report to the Board of Supervisors on Monday and is now ready to begin work for the new fiscal year.

The commission will open an office in the building of the Chamber of Commerce, Oakland, where the exhibit now maintained by the commission is located, and Paul Goldsmith, the new secretary, will establish himself there as soon as the work is done. The commission proposes to double at once the size and importance of the exhibit that has been maintained for the past several years and to have the finest display of products and industries of the county that can be secured.

"As soon as our commission gets down to work, which will be at once," said Secretary Goldsmith, "we will appeal to the Chambers of Commerce throughout the county to aid us in collecting specimens for our display. We do not propose to wait till 1915 before beginning work, and when the fair year comes we will have such an exhibit as no other county or collection of counties in the state can show. This is going to be no easy work, and our commission will need the aid of every enthusiastic booster of Alameda county."

"I am anxious to have a display that will show what each section of the county can do, and not have a miscellaneous collection of flowers and handsome fruit. I want to make a Niles exhibit, and a Centerville exhibit and show the commercial advantages of Newark and the beauties of the Mission. There is no county in the state like Alameda county and we want the citizens of this county to know what all sections are doing and then we want the world to know what Alameda county is doing. This can only be done by the help of all the commercial and development bodies in the county."

If anyone has any suggestions to offer I want them and members of the commission will visit all sections of the county learning what is wanted in the way of boosting. Suggestions will be welcome at all times."

The first report of the new commission shows that not a little work has already been done and that much is proposed. It is as follows:

"To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors, Alameda County, Cal. Sirs: The Alameda County Exposition commission appointed by your honorable body on May 6, 1912, has accepted the appointment with thanks and has organized by the election of Hon. Frank K. Mott as chairman; Frank A. Leach, Jr., as

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COUNTY FUNDS FOR VARIOUS PLACES

Apportionment of Advertising Money and Routine Business of County Dads at Last Session

OAKLAND, July 5—Supervisor's business was not important this week aside from the ordering of the new Niles bridge and the hearing of the Nunes license.

On the county business came up again when Andrew Whelton of San Leandro notified the board that he had a 34 acre tract of land next to the County Infirmary which had plenty of water upon it and which he would be willing to sell to the county. Johnathan Begg, who said he was a water expert, declared that he could develop all the water necessary right on the Infirmary grounds. Both matters were taken under consideration as experiments are now being made to thoroughly test the water supply that can be developed at the institution.

The annual distribution of the county advertising fund of \$2,000 was made as follows: Berkeley Chamber of Commerce, \$500; Portland committee of the joint lodges of Elks of Alameda county, \$150; Alameda Chamber of Commerce for the Fourth of July boat races, \$500; Oakland Fourth of July Committee, \$500; San Leandro Chamber of Commerce, \$100; Pleasanton Driving Association, \$250.

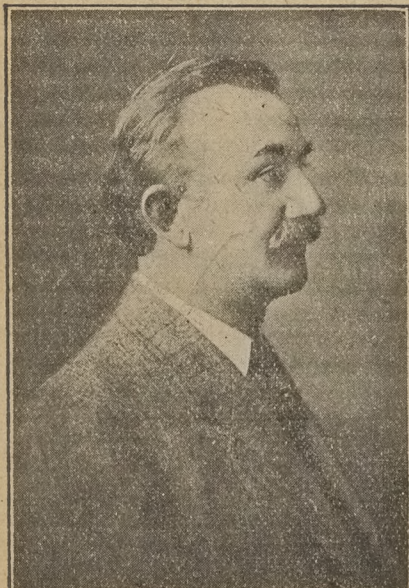
Liquor licenses were granted as follows: Manuel Silva, Warm Springs; M. J. Cavanaugh, Niles; G. Lazzarina, Newark; Manuel E. Picano and Manuel E. Rose, Ashland.

Liquor license applications were set for hearing for three weeks from July 1st, as follows: Fred Schauer, Mt. Eden; Eda Benz, Castro Valley; M. Lucio and C. W. Berry, Centerville.

The board will sit as a County Board of Equalization beginning July 29th.

MASONS VISIT DECOTO HOME

DECOTO, July 5—Occidental lodge F. and A. M., of San Francisco, was well represented when a delegation of members with their ladies visited the Masonic Home on Saturday afternoon last, where the brethren enjoyed witnessing the work, which was exemplified in Shimon Temple by Worshipful Master, O. C. Baldin, assisted by his corps of officers. The ladies of the party were entertained by the ladies of the Home in an impromptu affair. The time was pleasantly spent in social converse, interspersed with several vocal and instrumental selections. Light refreshments were served, later, all repairing to the main dining hall where addresses were delivered by several of the brethren. On behalf of Occidental lodge a set of quoits and a croquet set were presented to the Home, thus adding to the outdoor pleasure.



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DOMESTIC ART AT STATE UNIVERSITY

Women Students Benefit by Appointment of Well Known Art Savant--Other Matters of Interest

BERKELEY, July 5—Considering that forty per cent of the five thousand students in the University of California are women, the appointment of Miss Mary Lois Kessell of New York as associate professor of Domestic Art is a significant and important addition to the university faculty. Extremely varied instruction in domestic science is offered in the annual summer sessions, but except for certain courses in dietetics, economics and hygiene, domestic science has not been much represented in the other portions of the university year.

"Household designs in modern homes," will be the subject of one of Professor Kessell's courses. She will give courses also on Textiles, with study of fabrics; chemical, physical and microscopic tests of materials as to quality, serviceability and genuineness; analysis of patterns and training in applied decorations and aid toward economical and artistic use. She will lecture also on the characteristics, distribution and use of raw materials for textiles—such as cotton, flax, wool, and silk—and on the process of manufacture—spinning, weaving, dyeing and finishing. For five years past she has been curator of textiles in the American Museum of Natural History in New York. She has made an extensive study of laces, tapestries and embroideries in the leading European collections. She is a graduate of the School of Household Arts of Columbia university.

Miss Kessell was the first woman explorer sent among the Indians by the American Museum of Natural History. Accompanied by an Indian woman, she traveled on horseback through Arizona, studying the aboriginal weaving and basketry, and the manners and customs of Indian homes. She is to give a course on the "Household Designs of Primitive Peoples."

In Santa Barbara a woman has been found who is thought to be the last full-blooded member of the original Santa Barbara tribe. Professor Alfred L. Kroeber, head of the department of Anthropology, has just been spending some time learning from this Senora Maria Ignacio the nature of her language, and the myths, traditions and customs of her vanished race. For ten years past Dr. Kroeber has been at work recording the native languages and the aboriginal lore of California.

The newly chosen royal astronomer of Ireland, Henry Crozier Plummer, was Fellow at the Lick Observatory and University of California, on Mt. Hamilton in 1907 and 1908. He has been chosen also, Professor of Astronomy in the university of Dublin.

A valuable collection of 117 Hawaiian birds has been presented to the university by Miss Annie M. Alexander, for inclusion in the California Museum of Vertebrate Zoology. The clearing of forest lands for cultivation in the Hawaiian Islands has resulted in the entire extinction of some of the species represented, so the collection is especially important.

It is possible though not certain that the "Grove Play" given every summer by the Bohemian Club of San Francisco, in its redwood forest on the Russian river, will on Saturday, August 24, be repeated in the Greek theater—the first time the public has had an opportunity of seeing one of these noble and beautiful music-dramas—a native California art. The poet of the play, "The Atone-ment of Pan," is Joseph D. Redding, while the choral and orchestral music has been composed by Henry Hadley, conductor of the San Francisco Symphony orchestra. David Bispham, the baritone, will create the part of Pan.

The Baroness von Sutter, of Vienna, awarded the Noble Prize for her work in advancing the cause of international peace, will speak at the university on July 3 of the world's peace movement. Among others of the speakers who have aroused a degree of interest among the summer session students, have been Dr. T. C. McCleave, president of the California

Association of Medical Milk commissions, who stated that Californians are evidently more awake to the danger of drinking ordinary dairy milk, from cows not tested for tuberculosis, than people in other states, since more certified milk is drunk in the cities around San Francisco bay in proportion to population, than in any other urban area in the United States; Professor Thomas H. Reed, whose lecture on "Some Failures of the Direct Primary," was so thronged with women as to show the great interest of the newly enfranchised voters in contemporary political problems—the subject of the twelve evening lectures of this course; Dr. Creighton Wellman, Professor of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene in the Tulane university, New Orleans, who told how small pox, plague, sleeping sickness, malaria, etc., are spread by the bites of insects; and Joseph Jastrow, Professor of Psychology in the University of Wisconsin, who gave three lectures on "The Sensibilities," "The Emotions," and "The Appraisal of Human Qualities." The evening lectures are being attended not only by throngs from among the 2500 students in the six weeks summer session, which began June 24, but by many visitors. Apparently this year's summer session will be one of the two or three largest in America. Probably the next few years will see it the largest, a result to which quality and climate—the possession of summer weather, almost never oppressively warm—both alike contribute.

The agricultural demonstration train, which the university sends out yearly, through the generous co-operation of the Southern Pacific company, in the year just completed was visited by more than 102,000 persons, a gain of more than 24,000 over the previous year. It has proved useful in bringing to the attention of the farmers improved agricultural methods and sources of information and aid in farming problems.

MINNESOTA TO TRY POLITICAL EXPERIMENT

Minnesota is about to try an experiment with politics that will be watched with a great deal of interest by other states. In the pending primary law, the passage of which is probable, there is a prominent provision prohibiting any sort of activity on the part of any candidates for office after the Saturday immediately preceding election night.

This is designed to do away with the worker at the polls, to prohibit the use of carriages and automobiles by the candidate on election day and other forms of activity directed to the manipulation of the voters at the time when they should be giving careful consideration to the men and questions before them.

And there is another important provision of the measure that may prove a model for legislation by the other states. It is the publication of an official campaign book in which each candidate has the privilege, free of cost to himself, of inserting of cost to himself, of inserting the reasons why he regards himself as best qualified to administer the office he seeks.

If these provisions go into effect, and there is every likelihood that they will, Minnesota will have gone even farther than Oregon. It is true that Oregon issues a campaign book, but neither Oregon nor any other state has yet prohibited working at the polls on election day. The value of the personal worker at the polling place, the agent who will be persona non grata to the law in Minnesota may be judged from the estimate experience politicians put on his influence. Each personal worker is regarded as good for from five to 15 votes for the candidate in whose interest he busies himself; hence in a state election he and his fellows might turn thousands of votes from one man to another. Their elimination from an organization perfected by a candidate would tend to enable the people to vote on an original impulse.

All of the provisions are expressive

of the effort to relieve the voter of the pressure of influence not based upon the superior claims of a candidate. The theory is that the voter should be allowed to look over the field and select his candidate without personal solicitation on the part of the candidate or his friends. To our mind it is the theory that should prevail and be put into wide practice.

Why should this or that candidate win merely because he has the time and the money to organize and can station men at the polling places or buttonhole voters? Is it not much better that his claim to preference be based exclusively on his record for probity, and ability and the likelihood that he would make a good public servant.

The questions are asked, in substance by the advocates of the Minnesota law. All, we think, must admit that it would be much better to compel the voter to make inquiry, for then the outcome would be the selection of candidates on merit, without the personal considerations that now have such weight. That will be the test in Minnesota.—Sacramento Union.

Water Pageant To Be Elaborate

Perhaps the most extensive and elaborate water pageant and carnival ever attempted on the Pacific Coast has been planned by Mr. Fred Swanton for the summer resort city of Santa Cruz, commencing Saturday, July 20th, and ending in a blaze of fireworks on Sunday, July 28th. Ever since the Casino at Santa Cruz closed the last fall Swanton has been at work on his idea, with the result that all arrangements have been completed for a truly remarkable nine-day festival at the popular watering place.

Among the hundred features which have been prepared in order that the water pageant may go down in history as a remarkable success, are the following: A yacht regatta to which all of the yacht clubs of the Pacific Coast have been invited and which will be held under the auspices of the Corinthian Yacht Club of San Francisco; a series of motorboat races on San Lorenzo river along which reviewing stations garlanded with flowers and flags are now in process of construction; parades of decorated floats corresponding to those used in New Orleans at Mardi Gras time; shell and small boat races; swimming contests and nightly displays of fireworks and flambeaus.

The presence, during the festivities, of several of the largest and finest vessels in the Pacific Squadron has been assured. In addition, there will be the usual opportunities for unsurpassed surf bathing; dancing every evening at the Casino; side trips to the Big Trees and through the wonderful canyon connecting Santa Cruz with the Big Basin country, and other features.

The large and beautiful Hotel Casa del Rey, recently completed at an expenditure of a tremendous amount of money and energy, is arranging to take care of part of the immense crowd which promises to assemble at Santa Cruz during the nine days of the water pageant. The management of the big hostelry has assured the public that there will be no advance over their regular rates, which are unusually moderate considering the fact that every room in the immense building is an outside room and is flooded with daily sunshine. The Casa del Rey will accept advance reservations from this date until the opening of the carnival. In addition to the accommodations offered by this hotel, the Tent City at Santa Cruz is now in full bloom and there are many other, though smaller, hotels and boarding places which afford comfortable lodging for a vast host.

The Southern Pacific Company, which maintains a fast and superior service between San Francisco, Los Angeles and tributary points to Santa Cruz, is arranging to make especially low rates to the Surf City and return for the period commencing July 20th and ending July 28th.

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MEETING IN DECOTO

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LIVERMORE POULTRY SHOW ANNOUNCED FOR JANUARY

"At a meeting of the executive committee of the Livermore Valley Poultry Association held last Saturday, the time for holding the 1913 poultry show was set at from January 22d to 26th, inclusive.

"This will be immediately after the big Los Angeles show and will enable the local Association to carry out its plan for a 'clearing house' show that worked so successfully this year.

"In the matter of securing judges the secretary was instructed to write for terms to a number of judges of national reputation, including J. A. Drevensadt of Buffalo, N. Y., Richard Oke of London, Ontario, Chas. Mixon of Washington, F. Sewell of Niles, Michigan, and H. P. Schwab of Irondequoit, N. Y. Out of this number it is expected to secure two thoroughly competent men to judge the next show."

NEWSBOY'S TRAMP WILL END AT EXPOSITION

CHICAGO, July 3.—Postmaster D. A. Campbell received a call from Julius Rath, a former St. Louis of his 500,000 mile walk. He started from St. Louis in 1897 to accomplish the feat of walking a half million miles around the globe in 15 years. He has walked 485,798 miles to date and has worn out 437 pairs of shoes. He is to end his walk at the Panama Pacific exposition in San Francisco in 1915. If he accomplishes the feat he will receive \$30,000 from a St. Louis club. Rath is not allowed to work, beg, borrow or steal. He supports himself by contribution and by selling pictures of himself and his dog Teddy, which he obtained in Nome, Alaska.

SHORT BERRY SEASON IS SEEN AT VISALIA

VISALIA, July 5.—Every fruit is being held back by the present cool spell, much to the disapproval of the growers, who had planned to complete shipments to eastern points during the past week. The apricots are failing to ripen and the packing houses are almost compelled to stop operations for a time until they see fit to get color enough to permit sending east. The same is the case with the peaches, while although there are plenty of berries on the market at the present time, they are not of exceptional quality as a whole and the crop will be unusually short.

TOWN SELLS CEMENT WALK FOR ADVERTISING

Wishing to extend a cement sidewalk to the new fair ground, and having no fund for the purpose, the town of Hope, Arkansas, constructed the extension by selling each outlined block of it as advertising space. A plat was made of the walk, showing it divided into numbered squares. A few of the squares were retained on which to place a short history of the town, giving names of prominent men, various industries, population at different dates, and the names of the county and town officers at the time, and the remainder were sold for advertising.

In most cases the advertising was done by forming the letters in the top coat before the final set, but a few of the advertisers furnished aluminum letters and numerals, about three inches high. Although the sidewalk has now been laid for some time the outline of the letters are said to be as when it was first made.—From the July Popular Mechanics Magazine.

CHERRY CROP OF TWO TREES IS WORTH \$50

OROVILLE, July 5.—Branches of two trees, literally laden with beautiful cherries, have been sent to Oroville from the Kimball ranch at Forbestown. The cherries show the wonderful opportunities that await the cherry grower in the mountain districts.

The sum of \$50 was offered for the crop on two trees on the Kimball place. These trees are only of moderate size.

COW EATS CANE—DIES.

A valuable cow belonging to John Zochl, of Alhambra Valley, Contra Costa county, died last week from an over-indulgence in sugar cane. The cow bloated to an immense size and while attempting to descend a hill fell and burst open. A veterinarian was called but could do nothing for the animal, which died in a short time.

CITRUS SHOW TO BE HELD AT OROVILLE

OROVILLE, July 5.—Preliminary session of the California Development Board, which is to be held in December. It was definitely decided that the citrus exposition, which will be held at the same time as the convention, will continue five days, and possibly the sixth.

The first week in December was chosen as the time for holding the show, which promises to eclipse anything which Oroville has ever given. There will be a day set aside for the poultry exhibit, one for the mineral and the others for various fruits.

Automobiles will be provided for showing the delegates around the surrounding country. As soon as the official notice of Oroville being chosen is received here, a meeting will be called by President E. A. Jackson, of the Chamber of Commerce, and committees to take up the work will be appointed.

NEW BAGGAGE RATES ORDERED SUSPENDED

WASHINGTON, June 28.—Every common carrier railroad and steamship line in the United States was affected by the suspension by the Interstate Commerce commission today of proposed new regulations restricting the dimensions of pieces of personal baggage.

The new regulations would further limit the amount of baggage transported free for a passenger and would increase the charges on excess baggage. They were suspended from July 1 to October 19.

JERSEY COW BRINGS IN \$25 PER MONTH TO OWNER

According to the Livermore Herald of last week, Henry Meyer, janitor of the high school at that place, has a nine-year-old Jersey cow which he purchased from Jas. G. Kelley a few years ago, that he declares holds the record for production by a single animal in the Livermore valley.

Last month he sold to J. C. Scott the confectioner, \$22 worth of milk and cream and delivered another \$2.50 worth to a regular customer. Beside this his family had all the milk and butter they could use. The cow is fed on hay and green alfalfa cut from his dooryard.

STREET CAR COMPANY OPPOSES CITY COUNCIL

Kansas City had a referendum last week in which a million and a half votes were cast—not a bad showing for a city less than half the size of Boston. But the referendum has its possibilities, which are not yet recognized in the effete East. In this case it was resorted to in connection with a street car controversy which makes the little trouble of the Boston Elevated and its employees seem very tame and old-fashioned.

It was all about smoking on the cars. The company made a virtuous rule forbidding smoking and vigorously enforced it. The city council, after much controversy, which became an issue in the recent city election, passed an ordinance permitting smoking on the cars. The company stood firmly by its guns. It ordered every conductor to stop his car, if any passenger persisted in smoking, and not to start until the cigar or pipe was put aside. The result was many delays, disturbances and arrests. Usually the non-smoking passengers would argue, verbally or violently, with the smoker, until he stopped or had been thrown off the car. Then the patiently waiting conductor would ring the starting bell. Sometimes, however, they would side with the smoker, and assault the conductor or motorman. The tobacco dealers hired smokers to go from car to car to make trouble.

The public got very tired of it all, and the police courts were kept busy overtime. At last the company agreed to a referendum. All persons who paid fares on certain days were allowed to vote. The company was handsomely sustained in the attitude it took, as there were 907,608 votes against smoking, and 608,627 in favor of it. The company, therefore, feels city council, backed by the local tobacco interests, is equally firm. So the smoke of battle still obscures the horizon.

Boston has a financial as well as an academic interest in the unique warfare which is giving Kansas City fame. The street car company that is involved in the one in which Boston capitalists, holding bonds of over \$7,000,000, are now taking steps in foreclosure proceedings.—Boston Herald.

CRACK IN LIBERTY BELL IS GROWING LARGER

Advices from Philadelphia state that Wilfred Jordan, the curator of the Independence Hall Museum, is authority for the statement that the Liberty Bell should not be removed from its resting place again, as the crack has extended for more than six inches within the last few weeks and that it shows signs of disintegration that may cause it to fall apart.

No one knows just when this fissure began or what caused it. Some time ago Jordan had Professor A. E. Outerbridge, the Franklin Institute metallurgist, inspect the bell, as it was then showing signs of decay, and the expert said at that time that cracks of this sort would so extend that in time they might seriously affect the metal. Sometimes when a fissure occurs it is necessary to bore a hole in the metal, and that will end the defect. The Liberty Bell has already been recast, and it is said by experts that the original defects of the makers were never entirely overcome.

An effort will be made to have the bell subjected to some more tests and if it is possible, find some way in which the relic may be preserved so that it may last indefinitely.

FEEDING THE SOIL IS FERTILE TOPIC

President Howard H. Gross, of the National Soil Fertility league addressed the General Federation of Women's Clubs Monday morning in Sutter street hall. His topic was "Conservation and the Soil."

He will tell of the use and abuse of the soil by American farmers and of his efforts to have scientific farming adopted throughout the United States.

He says that in Europe the grain yield per acre exceeds that in this country, due to the application of scientific methods to agriculture. He explained how the farmers of America can increase their crops per acre through scientific farming.

The Fertility league of which he is the head is endeavoring to get a bill through congress whereby an appropriation will be made for carrying the agricultural work of the various colleges into the field. With the cooperation of the farming states in the various parts of the union, the league's plan is to have a practical demonstrator go out among the farmers and assist them in applying the latest methods of cultivation, planting and harvesting crops which the respective communities might be engaged in raising.

TAHOE VISITORS SHOULD TAKE TRAIN NO. 6

Under the present schedule of the Southern Pacific company, train No. 6 is the proper one to use if planning a visit to Lake Tahoe. This train connects with the L. T. Ry. & T. Co., at Truckee, handling the daily sleeper from San Francisco. Train No. 10, that formerly made this connection, does not do so now. All interested should take notice if leaving soon for a visit to the mountain resort.

CHANGE TO ELECTRICITY WILL COST \$8,000 000

Announcement has been made that the Southern Pacific company, in line with orders issued by E. E. Calvin, general manager of the lines in the west, will proceed at once to electrify several independent railroads in the Willamette valley in Oregon, which the company has recently purchased. The system when completed will give the Southern Pacific 340 miles of electric railroad in the valley and will furnish Portland another connection with Salem, Corvallis, Eugene, Albany and other towns.

The expenditure to be made by the company amounts to about \$8,000,000.

TEACHERS CAN MAKE BEST OF THE LOW RATE EAST

The summer excursion tariff of the Southern Pacific company, makes a rate to Chicago, on July 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 15th, 16th and other dates of \$72.50 for the round trip and can be taken advantage of by teachers who wish to attend the National Educational Association convention in that city the first of the coming month. Passengers can return via Sunset, New Orleans, Kansas City and Fort Worth. Or, with additional charge can come back by the way of Portland.

Berth rates to Chicago, first class, are \$13 for a lower and \$10.40 for an upper.

ROADMASTER MENDS THE MAIN STREET OF NILES

NILES, July 5.—Roadmaster Overacker has improved the Main street of Niles, which happens to be also a part of the main thoroughfare between the bay and San Jose, by spreading gravel the entire length and raking off all the larger pieces. By means of a good drenching every day for a week and the large amount of travel over it, the road will soon be in as good condition as when the season began.

Lovers of Fun Will be There

It begins to look as though every lover of fun and recreation would be present at Santa Cruz during the week of July 20th to 28th, when the greatest water pageant in the history of Western America will be promulgated under the direction of Mr. Fred Swanton and his associates. The ease with which residents in practically every section of the state can reach Santa Cruz; the attractive round-trip fares offered by the railroads; the moderate rates and splendid accommodations to be secured; and the variety of unique entertainment guaranteed by Manager Swanton, have proven irresistible magnets for hundreds of tired, overworked Californians, who long for a breath of the sea and a jolly vacation, with care-free companions.

The re-opening of the cottage city, where clean, comfortable accommodations can be had at a minimum expense, has gone far to offset the destruction of the Sea Beach Hotel, which was burned last week. In addition the new Hotel St. George will aid the beautiful Casa del Rey in taking care of those who wish more elaborate quarters. The Casa del Rey and Cottage City will, in themselves, accommodate 1,000 guests, that of the big Casino will accommodate 1,300 persons at one time. President John Martin, of the Santa Cruz Beach Company, has notified Manager Swanton that there must be no extra charges made during the Pageant week.

Several extra features have been added to the program during the past week. Aviators Bryant and Francis famous throughout the west for their daring escapades in the air, will be on hand to lend a daily thrill to the festivities. Manager Swanton is now Department regarding the two submarines now in San Francisco bay, with a view of having them at Santa Cruz for the pageant. It is understood that the department favors this exhibition of the latest "water-bull dog." Thus it will be possible for visitors to see practically all of the modern forms of navigation—the water, over the water and under the water.

The "Seafarer," America's entry in the Honolulu-to-San Francisco yacht race, has been invited to participate in the events of this "water week" and will probably be on hand with the winner's flag at her masthead. In addition, of course, will be the spectacular features arranged some days ago by Manager Swanton—the yacht regattas; the motor-boat, shell, skiff, hydroplane and swimming races; the parade of decorated floats; the magnificent display of fireworks; the bathing, golfing, dancing, riding, driving, fishing and kindred other joys always associated with the Surf City.

Sidney Cavill, perhaps the most famous swimmer on the Pacific Coast, and the first man who ever swam the Golden Gate, has been appointed as master of ceremonies for all aquatic sports, which means that they will be of a high order. Cavill, who is at present swimming instructor of the Olympic Club, is already in touch with some of the leading mermaids and mermen of the country, many of whom have already signified their intention of participating in the water contests.

Reservations at the Hotel Casa del Rey are now being made by the management and will be held until the evening of July 15th, or later if assurances of attendance are received.

Half Interest in Mercantile Business For Sale

I herewith offer for sale the half-interest held by me in the partnership of Mason & Gomes, general merchants, Niles, Calif. Business will stand closest investigation. Have bought fruit ranch and intend devoting my time hereafter to that business. This offer can be taken up at this date or any time between now and August 1st. Store has been established for 25 years.

Address JOE D. GOMES,
Niles, Calif.

EAST CHEAP Summer Excursion Tickets

New York	\$108.50	Chicago	\$72.50
Boston	110.50	St. Louis	70.00
Philadelphia	108.50	St. Paul	73.50
Baltimore	107.50	Memphis	70.00
Toronto	95.70	Houston	60.00
Montreal	128.50	New Orleans	70.00
Quebec	116.50	Duluth	79.50
Portland, Me.	113.60	Omaha	60.00
Washington	107.50	Denver	55.00
Minneapolis	73.50	Kansas City	60.00

AND OTHER EASTERN CITIES.

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No of Bank 232-232A.

Incorporated Feb. 20th, 1902.

Report of Condition OF THE Bank of Alameda County

(COMMERCIAL)

AT ALVARADO, CAL., AND IRVINGTON, CAL.,
at the close of business on the 14th day of June, 1912

RESOURCES.

Loans	\$377,939.10
Bonds and Other Securities	79,945.04
Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures	15,217.38
Due from other than Reserve Banks	3,950.50
Due from Reserve Banks	114,487.76
Cash on hand	31,537.07
Total	\$623,276.85

LIABILITIES.

Capital	\$ 65,000.00
Surplus	5,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid	6,505.82
Individual Deposits Subject to Check	194,550.16
Demand Certificates of Deposit	17,850.00
Time Certificates of Deposit	301,463.59
Cashier's Checks	2,907.28
State, County, and Municipal Deposits	30,000.00
Total	\$623,276.85

State of California, ss.
County of Alameda, ss.

August May, President, J. R. Blacow, Cashier, of the above named Bank, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

AUGUST MAY, President,
J. R. BLACOW, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to before me by both deponents, the 22nd day of June, 1912.

OFFICERS:

August May, President and Manager; D. F. Wiegman, Vice-President; E. H. Stevenson, Secretary; J. R. Blacow, Cashier; R. A. Blacow, Assistant Cashier.

DIRECTORS:

August May, D. F. Wiegman, E. H. Stevenson, J. R. Blacow, F. B. Granger, Henry H. Patterson, George Althausen.

No. of Bank 390

Incorporated Sept. 1906

Report of Condition OF THE NILES STATE BANK

(COMMERCIAL)

AT NILES, CAL.,

at the close of business on the 14th day of June, 1912

RESOURCES.

Loans	\$ 46,812.42
Bonds and other Securities	13,845.00
Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures	9,306.55
Due from other than Reserve Banks	1,449.08
Due from Reserve Banks	30,794.88
Cash on Hand	7,328.97
Other Assets, County Warrants	1,370.61
Total	\$110,409.51

LIABILITIES.

Capital	\$ 25,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid	767.03
Individual Deposits subject to Check	48,942.06
Time Certificates of Deposit	29,109.33
State, County, and Municipal Deposits	5,400.00
Postal Savings System (P. O.)	1,191.39
Total	\$110,409.51

State of California, ss.
County of Alameda, ss.

August May, President, Chas. Evans, Cashier, of the above named Bank, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

AUGUST MAY, President,
CHAS. EVANS, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to before me by both deponents, the 25th day of June, 1912.

OFFICERS:

August May, President; F. B. Granger, Vice-President; Chas. Evans, Cashier.

DIRECTORS:

August May, F. B. Granger, A. H. Mosher, A. J. Mount, Chas. Evans.

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Population of Washington Township.
Niles 1500
Centerville 1225
Newark 1200
Alvarado 1100
Total, 8650

Washington Township Officials
Justices of the Peace:
S. Sandholdt, T. S. Ferreira,
Centerville, Decoto
Constables:
Joe Roderick, G. G. Bontelho,
Niles, Alvarado
Road Overseers:
Niles C. B. Overacker
Irvington J. M. Brewer
Mission San Jose E. H. Whitfield
Warm Springs Manuel Brown
Centerville J. J. Santos
Newark F. Sayles
Alviso Antonio George
Decoto F. W. Meyer
Alvarado Farley B. Granger

EDITORIAL

Proof of Our Attitude.

Quite recently the REGISTER engaged in a campaign against the abolition of the saloons in the first supervisorial district, claiming that REGULATION of these places of business was the more logical solution of the problem, rather than the abolition of the traffic altogether. In support of the "REGULATION" argument advanced, the assertion was made in these columns that the Board of Supervisors would in due time, accord with any reasonable demand for a change of present conditions, and especially would refuse to grant a license to or permit to operate, any liquor house which was shown to be an infractor of regulations even as standing at present.

At this time it was asserted by those who believed differently than this paper, that the Board of Supervisors would NOT take any action of this kind.

And now comes proof of the REGISTER'S claim that they would. On last Monday, during the license of one, Nunes, who held a privilege to operate a saloon near the limits of the town of San Leandro, was revoked, on motion of Supervisor Foss, seconded by Supervisor Bridge and voted for by Supervisors Mullins and Murphy, Kelley absents himself shortly before the matter was voted upon.

The Nunes resort was brought to the attention of the Board by the Sheriff, and last Monday proof was offered by citizens of San Leandro that Mr. Nunes had been very derelict in the conduct of his place and the observance of the law. The outcome was a prompt revocal. It didn't matter that a score of friends and frequenters of the Nunes resort were present, and testified, some of them more than willingly, the outcome was the same.

And this would happen to any other place of business of this nature, where it can be proven that conditions are not as they should be from the ordinance standpoint.

The REGISTER mentions this as an instance of its previous stand and that the Board of Supervisors of this county are not inclined at any time to "wink" at improper saloon conditions, either for the sake of politics or for the sake of pressure brought to bear.

The REGISTER is free to admit that if the claim had not been made before the local option election, that a regulated condition, different from that now existing, could be brought about, and that the people of this section had not so believed, that a wide difference in the resulting vote would have been the outcome. This, any unprejudiced mind is aware of.

Truths and Trifles

Ranchers Appreciate.

That Supervisor Murphy's efforts to secure the Niles Canyon Roadway are greatly appreciated by the residents of this community, is the opinion of the Oakland Enquirer, from which the following is taken, appearing in a recent issue. That paper said:

"There is not a farmer, a horticulturist, a viticulturist in the interior of Alameda county who will not appreciate the efforts of Supervisor who is working for the great public improvement. Neither is there an

automobilist who will not pronounce a benison on the heads of the board of supervisors in rushing this proposed driveway to completion, for the reason that the driveway is to be a boulevard for pleasure as well as a highway for commerce."

The above paragraph appeared in a long article telling of the proposed new road and accompanied by a drawing of the surveyor's line, showing where the new route will probably be built if secured. It is noticed that the Enquirer also mentions that automobilists will be pleased to learn of the supervisors' intentions in this regard. For a fact as all of us who live in this section know, the canyon scenic side is one admired by any and all who have been through it and from the fact that at present one can see often as many as thirty or forty machines on a trip through there regardless of the poor road accommodations, proof is sufficient that once a good driveway is built, that number would be multiplied many, many fold. Bear in mind, however, that not alone is the road for pleasure purposes but that it is the natural water-grade route between the bay plain and the interior part of the state, really enough in itself to warrant the expenditure of the sum required to accomplish the construction.

A Democrat, But—

Nearly everyone in this part of Alameda county knows that Fallon. Besides knowing him personally, they are cognizant of the fact that he is a Democrat—been one all of his life, regardless of adversity or whatnot.

But although Billy is a Democrat and as such generally pretty well defined in his choice for candidates to office, local or national, he's making one exception this year and wants everyone to know of it. That exception is his unqualified and enthusiastic support of Dan Murphy of Livermore as a candidate for the office of Supervisor, notwithstanding that Murphy is a Republican choice. Speaking about it this week, he told the writer that never before had he been so tempted to change his politics in order to cast a primary vote and that if occasion arose where it was found necessary, he would be inclined to give the matter a serious consideration. "But," he added, "I've got quite a family and every one of them is registered the right way to express themselves for Dan Murphy. So you see even if I am a Democrat I'm doing something for the Livermore man and just tell everybody you see that I'm glad there's enough of my flock to make a showing."

And Fallon is only one of a large number who are similarly inclined, all of whom are glad to call themselves supporters of the man now running for office and who are determined that the vote to be cast at the primaries is to go down in the county history as the most general one ever cast for a man seeking the supervisorial position. Such a condition is really a tribute to the candidate and one that few men in the political field are privileged to enjoy.

Education Needed.

The Livermore Herald rightfully opines that a more strict observance of the regulation demanding that autoists give to horse drawn vehicles the right of the bank side of the road while on heavy grades and cites instances of where this regulation has not been adhered to in the Altamont hills. The editor deplores, however, the lack of knowledge exhibited by the many new auto drivers in this regard, forgetting to mention that as many if not more of the drivers of horses do not recognize the ruling made for their express benefit. What seems to be needed more than anything else is a more general knowledge of the rules laid down and a campaign of education along this line, now that automobiles are so numerous, would probably result in bringing about the changes Editor Henry suggests.

Don't Wait.

Do not keep the alabaster boxes of your love sealed up until your friends are dead. Speak approving, cheering words while their ears can hear them and while their hearts can be thrilled and be made happier by them.

The kind things you mean to say when they are gone, say before they go. The flowers which you intend to place upon their caskets, send to gladden and brighten their homes before they leave them.

If my friends have alabaster boxes laid away, filled with fragrant perfumes of love and affection, which they intend to break over my dead body, I would rather they would bring them out in my weary and troubled hours, and open them, that I may be refreshed by them while I need them.

I would rather have a plain coffin

without a flower; a funeral without an eulogy, than a life without the sweetness of love and sympathy.

Let us learn to anoint our friends beforehand for their burial. Post-mortem kindness does not cheer the troubled spirit. Flowers on the coffin cast no fragrance backward over life's weary way.

SELECTED.

EACH DISTRICT CAN BE REPRESENTED

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vice-chairman and Paul Goldsmith as secretary.

"The commission has adopted a plan of operating and a system of accounting after consultation with the offices of the district attorney and county expert that includes a system of monthly reports to the Board of Supervisors at which time plans will be submitted and requests and requisitions made. After the approval of the plans submitted and proper authorization has been given the commission will then put these plans into operation. At the close of each month the commission will transmit to the Board of Supervisors a record of all transactions and all bills that have been incurred under the previous authorization.

"Each bill will carry a complete record of the history of the transactions, full vouchers and the approval of the commission. In this way it is expected that the Board of Supervisors will be able to keep in touch with the work of the commission at all times.

"The Oakland Chamber of Commerce has kindly offered space in their building for an office for the secretary without the payment of rent and as the exhibit maintained by the county is housed in that building it seems that this would be the natural place for such an office and request is made for authority to furnish the same and to obtain the necessary stationery, books and forms to start the proposed system.

"A requisition is also made for glass necessary to maintain and improve the exhibit.

"The commission recommends the appointment of W. D. Nichols as custodian and processor of the Oakland exhibit at a salary of \$200 a month and Harry A. Lane as custodian of the exhibit now maintained at Los Angeles at a salary of \$125 a month and that authority be granted to continue the present arrangements with the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce for space in their building at a rental of \$60 a month until the state building in that city is completed.

"THE ALAMEDA COUNTY EXPOSITION COMMISSION.
"By PAUL GOLDSMITH, Sec'y.
"Oakland, June 30, 1912."

DOWNING IS GOING BACK TO THE HILLS

The call of the wild was too much for Deputy Fish and Game Warden Earl Downing of this place, and he states this week that hereafter he will resume his former duties in the field, having been transferred from the office where he was holding a clerical position.

Downing has been a consistent and hard working deputy and during the last few years has become so well acquainted with the game laws and their enforcement that his work can be commended in generous terms. Probably better than any other man in the service he knows the territory around this portion of Alameda county as well as that lying between here and the San Joaquin river. He has also been detailed on many river cases, and knows the crooks and turns of the waterway mentioned nearly as well as many of the men who are engaged in that part of the work all of the time.

Some few months ago he was offered a position in the offices of the commission in San Francisco and has since been a commuter. Many of his friends predicted that the contrast of work would not be to his liking, the years of active life in mountain and on stream, forming in a man a love for the out-door life that is hard to circumvent.

The change of this week is probably due to that more than to anything else. Incidentally the game protection duties of the commission will be well guarded again in this district.—Pleasanton Times.

Try Conkey's Fly Knocker fifteen days. Your money back quick, if you are not satisfied. Quart 35c; 2 quarts, 60 c; 1 gallon, \$1. Get a can now. For sale by Sneden's Pharmacy. J5-41.

—Mix some of our cool drinks with the hot weather. You'll feel better. Darrow's, Niles.

SET THE DATES FOR FIRST COUNTY FAIR

The Alameda County Fair Association completed its organization last Saturday, with the following results:

The directors elected were: W. J. Dakin, H. P. Mohr, F. R. Fassett, Wm. McDonald, N. S. Boone, Manuel Brown, O. N. Hirsch, I. B. Parsons, F. Stenzel, A. P. Leach, James Cruikshank, Thos. H. Silver, J. E. Bairos, Wm. Bond and E. E. Hall.

The following officers were elected: E. E. Hall, president; I. B. Parsons, vice-president; H. P. Mohr, treasurer; Thos. H. Silver, secretary. The dates set for holding the Fair will be October 23d to 26th inclusive, at Pleasanton.

Plans and specifications are now being prepared and the directors are expecting to open bids and award contracts for the erection of the Fair building on Saturday, July 13.

Below is a complete list of the standing committees appointed:

Building and Maintenance.

The board of Directors was appointed to act as this committee.

Finance and Auditing.

W. J. Dakin.

C. A. Gale.

A. P. Leach.

E. K. Strobbridge.

Cattle.

Wm. Bond.

I. B. Parsons.

F. Stenzel.

W. J. Martin.

Wm. McDonald.

Draft Horses.

H. P. Mohr.

Wm. Bond.

N. S. Boone.

F. Stenzel.

Trotting Horses and Racing.

Charles DeRyder.

Wm. McDonald.

J. Sutherland.

W. T. McBride.

Sheep and Hogs.

E. Bishop.

N. S. Boone.

A. Philpot.

Wm. Bond.

Poultry.

W. W. Hirsch.

J. E. Bairos.

W. H. Bissel.

Hay and Grain.

F. R. Fassett.

C. H. Schween.

Martin Koopman.

Manuel Brown.

L. J. Gerloff.

H. B. Cushing.

F. Stenzel.

H. P. Mohr.

Fruits, Nuts and Vegetables.

F. Stenzel.

I. B. Parsons.

M. V. Perry.

O. N. Hirsch.

F. C. Winton.

W. J. Dakin.

Wm. McDonald.

F. B. Fassett.

H. B. Cushing.

Grapes and Wine.

Theo. Gier.

H. Lachman.

C. L. Crellin.

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CABRAL-REZENDES WEDDING

MISSION SAN JOSE, July 5—A wedding of much interest throughout the township took place in Mission San Jose on Wednesday morning last when Miss Mary Cabral, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cabral, was married to Joe Rezendes, formerly an orange grower of San Bernardino county. The wedding came as a surprise to all their friends. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Costa.

The bridal gown was of white satin, with pearl trimmings, and with this was worn a wreath of orange blossoms, the bride carrying a beautiful bouquet of white carnations and ferns. The bridesmaid, who was Miss Mamie Freitas of San Leandro, wore a beautiful bouquet of carnations and ferns. Mr. Freitas acted as best man.

Mr. Rezendes is from Redlands and is well known as an orange grower of Southern California. The couple left on the 4 o'clock train for Redlands, where they will make their home in the future. They both have a host of friends here who wish them all the joys of a happy married life.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HAVE BIG DAY AT PARK

FERNBROOK, July 5—The members of the new Knights of Columbus lodge of Hayward, with their friends, enjoyed a picnic here yesterday, July 4th, at which several hundred people were in attendance. A program of interest was carried out and the day was marked by the good times all had who were there. The "baby" council is certainly starting off in a most auspicious manner, this being the first outing since its organization.

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Is learning how to crank a machine.

Goes to Fernbrook for cherries.

Ate a loaf of bread with her ice cream at Darrow's the other night.

Wore their old shoes to the show last Saturday evening.

Who is always tired.

Likes doughnuts with ice cream soda.

Enjoys a nice auto ride to the city and then a visit at Prager's.

Knows how to rag.

KNIFE SLIPS; GASHES LEG.

NILES, July 6—While using his knife in cutting raw meat at camp the other day, George Rose, one of a deer seeking party, allowed the instrument to slip, cutting a deep gash in his leg, and necessitating an earlier return from the hunting grounds than was intended. The physician says that the knife penetrated over an inch, and the wound is nearly two inches long. Rose is able to be about but has a noticeable limp.

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IN THE SPORTING WORLD

NILES TEAM WINS GAME IN IRVINGTON

Hoodoo is Broken and the "Fatal Eighth" Safely Passed—Big Crowd Sees the Contest

(By Ben Murphy).

IRVINGTON, July 4—At last the Niles aggregation won a ball game and won it from the team that has the reputation of being the strongest of the four now comprising the Washington Township league. In a score of 8 to 1, with the runs scattered throughout the entire game, they safely passed the "fatal eighth" and in a measure redeemed themselves with the Niles fans by sending Newark home with a wonderful-how-it-happened feeling. Because Irvington was celebrating the big day of the year, July Fourth, the contest scheduled for Niles, was transferred to this town and a game played in the morning as well as in the afternoon, between the home team and Decoto.

The game opened with H. Wales striking out. Falk was safe on first on an error by Roche but was caught stealing second by a pretty throw by O'Donnell. J. Delaney then hit three times in the same place, the atmosphere, ending the first half.

Niles came to bat, Harris going out on a pop fly to first. Robinson and O'Donnell both struck out and there was no chance for a score.

The second opened with R. Costa drove a clean two-base hit to centerfield. H. Fuller struck out and A. Wales ended the inning, going out, Rose to Robinson.

In the second half Wilson waited for four wide ones and Rose, who, by the way, was in the game every minute, chased him home by securing a home run. This makes the second home run for the season, and the only Niles player to accomplish the feat. Roche then singled and went to second on a fielders choice of a well placed bunt by Silva. Poggetti then bunted down toward first and Marshall shot the ball to second, forcing Silva. This left Roche on third, where he landed while Silva was being retired and Poggetti on the initial bag with one down. Roderrick then popped a foul fly to the catcher. Harris did something unusual, ending the inning by striking out.

Hafner opened the third with a hit, but was out on a fielders choice, Harris to Rose. T. Costa then took a little lead off first and O'Donnell threw the ball to Robinson, who relayed it to second in time to put him out when he attempted to go down on the play. H. Wales then went out, Rose to Robinson.

Robinson opened the last half of the third with a clean hit for the Niles fans to crow about, and O'Donnell sacrificed him along to second, going out short to first. Wilson was hit in the head with a pitched ball, and Rose came to bat, scoring Robinson with a hit. Parks helped matters out by hitting safely to left, scoring Wilson. Parks was caught trying to stretch his hit for another base, Rose landing on third on the play. Silva hit another timely bingle and Rose scampered home with another tally, bringing the score up to 5 to 0. Poggetti ended the misery for the Newark delegation by flying out to right field.

The fourth opened with Falk striking out and Delaney flying out to center. R. Costa reached first on a poor throw and Marshall was an easy out, Wilson to Robinson.

Roche led off for Niles with a hit to left and Harris followed with a well placed bunt down the first base line. Robinson fanned and O'Donnell scored both men with a corking single to centerfield. Here Costa thought he had gone far enough up in the air on his holiday excursion and turned the heaving job over to Wales, who struck out the next two men up and ended the inning. In the meantime O'Donnell had gone to third on two passed balls and was

ready to score on any old kind of a hit or bobble. The score now stood Niles 7, Newark, goose egg.

Fuller opened the fifth by fanning. A. Wales hit to left and was sacrificed to second by Hafner. T. Costa then flew out to left, ending the inning.

For Niles Parks struck out and Silva and Poggetti both ambled to the bags. Roche hit one down to third that R. Costa grabbed and got to that bag with the pill, heaving to second in time to complete a fast double play, catching Poggetti.

The Newark team did not get any closer to a score in the sixth than a dinky single to center. H. Wales opened by going out, Wilson to Robinson. Falk singled and Delaney tried hard to advance him, but only whiffed the air. R. Costa was an easy out, and the inning was ended without any damage resulting.

In the Niles half the boys made their last stand and put the game on ice, notwithstanding that "fatal" half of the eighth, that has been such a large sized hoodoo to overcome in the past few games. Harris led off with a clean hit to right and went to second when Wales made a poor throw in an attempt to catch him off first. He went of third on a passed ball and Robinson struck out. O'Donnell then bingled to center and Harris scored. O'Donnell stole and Wilson walked, Rose sacrificing both men along a peg. Parks ended the inning by going out, and the score stood 8 to 0.

There was no scoring for either team in the seventh. Marshall led off for the visitors with a hit and was forced at second when Fuller hit one to Wilson. A Wales struck out and Hafner forced Fuller out at second, Parks to Rose.

For Niles Silva struck out and Poggetti flew to left, Roche hit to right and Harris made the third out by flying to right.

Then came that "fatal eighth" inning. Costa went out Wilson to Robinson and H. Wales struck out. Falk secured a triple and scored on an infield hit by Delaney, who went to second on a passed ball. R. Costa then struck out and the Niles rooters sighed with relief, as they figured that the team had to go some to beat the hoodoo.

Robinson struck out for the first man up in the Niles half and Wilson flew out to short. Wilson then hit at a good one, but his offering was easily captured by the pitcher and he was retired at the initial bag.

The ninth was about as exciting as an old maids convention, and lasted about as long as one would if a good looking man were to make his appearance before a crowd of these blushing ladies. Marshall walked, but Fuller forced him at the key-stone sack a moment later, Wilson heaving to Harris for the out. A. Wales breezed and Hafner flew out to the shortstop, ending the agony for the Newark fans.

The Niles rooters had a chance to get up on their feet and holler all the way and the result never seemed to be in doubt after the second inning was over.

Although Newark secured seven hits there were only two in one inning. Wilson kept them scattered well and his walks were few and far between.

Both teams played fast and sensational ball in the field.

Robinson put up a fine game at first and the change in the infield seemed to work better.

That Harris boy showed that he is a valuable man for most any position in the infield. He covered the short garden and did so in the best of style.

R.H.E.
Niles. . . 0 2 3 2 0 1 0 0 *—8 12 2
Newark. . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1 7 1

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Wielands	8	4	.666
Newark	7	4	.636
Decoto	4	7	.364
Niles	4	8	.333

NILES SPEEDS ONE MORE POINT DOWN LADDER

NEWARK, July 3—The same old story over again, the "fatal eighth" was the downfall of Niles, the Newark team holding the team from this town to three runs, and hard earned ones at that. The sensational playing in spasms was the feature of the game and no little "crabbing" at divers times, when things didn't go to just suit either side.

Costa pitched for Newark and managed to get in a lot of good work during the game, while Wilson was the same old standby for Niles and struck out a bundle of the big hitters from Newark with ease. It was the eighth inning alone that lost the game to the visitors from the Hub, and no one is to blame but the "Big Hoodoo," that has been traveling along with the crowd since the beginning of the season.

Newark was somewhat crippled on account of Jumbo Wales nursing a sore finger, but who played nevertheless, and made a sensational double in right field by catching a fly with his mit hand and putting out a baserunner at first. Harris played a good game for Niles and Parks didn't let anything pass that came his way. Sylvia batted well, as did also most of the other members of the Niles team.

Cy Hansen pitched the first inning but threw his arm out in the second and was replaced by Costa.

R. Costa knocked a clean cut home run in the last of the fifth and Newark gave him the glad hand.

Newark 2 0 0 1 0 0 7 0—10
Niles 1 1 1 0 2 1 0 0 0—6

DECOTO SLAMS THE BALL AROUND AND WINS ONE

IRVINGTON, July 5—Whether it was too much holiday or the time had come to lose, or Figeroid, the new Decoto pitcher, is too much for the Wielands, no one knows, but the score of the game between the home team and Decoto last Thursday afternoon is a hard one for the leaders of the league to swallow, losing the game by a score of 10 to 4. With-erly gave Benbow a chance in the box at the beginning, and Decoto chalked up their ten runs in the first three innings. After that Sheehan took the ball and big goose eggs were the result. The feature of the game was the marked improvement in the playing of the Decoto team, infelding and outfielding alike, as well as batting. Figeroid struck out seventeen men and Decoto is content that they have at last secured a pitcher. Perry was out of the game and Irvington says they were weakened on account of it. He is a substantial player and hard to beat in the amateur line. An Oakland man, Ferreira, umpired the game and did excellently. By winning this game, Decoto keeps her lead over the tailenders, Niles.

R.H.E.
Decoto . . 3 6 1 0 0 0 0 0—10 8 5
Irvington . 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 1—4 5 5

IRVINGTON HAS INDIAN SIGN ON DECOTO TEAM

DECOTO, July 5—In the game here last Sunday between Decoto and Irvington, the home boys lost by a score of 7 to 3. The visitors found that the new pitcher Figeroid, made quite a difference in the relative ability of the two teams, and played hard to keep the honors with them.

TOMORROW'S GAMES.

Irvington will play Newark at Newark. On the outcome of this game will depend a change of positions in the percentage column. If Newark wins she will lead the league.

Niles will meet Decoto at Niles, and likewise the percentage difference between these two is so small that on the outcome of tomorrow's contest, depends a change of position.

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MEMBER OF BUSHWA CLUB GETS FINE BUCK

WARM SPRINGS, July 5—Joe Leal, president of the Pushwa Club, made a little journey into the wilds of Calaveras county Sunday night, and by 5 o'clock Monday morning landed a four-year-old buck, fat and sleek, thereby keeping up his reputation as a sportsman, and incidentally bringing more honor to the club he presides over. A special meeting of the organization was called Wednesday to discuss the event, and listen to the tale of how the prize was captured. Leal steered clear of any reference to "buck fever" while telling of the chase but some of the members were mean enough to ask him on the quiet if he didn't feel a touch of it.

Gomez and Rohrback, as soon as Leal got home, started out themselves for a little hunt back of the peak, but so far no reports have come of any success.

The big meet of the club, as previously stated, will be in August. All are anticipating with pleasure, the good times in store.

Since the game laws were changed the boys are all confident that deer hunting will be a more successful venture and contrary to many reports are finding that many deer are in the mountains hereabouts. Applications for hunting licenses are coming in very fast, is the report of Postmaster Escobar, who has a book of them on hand.

BOB TYSON SHOTS ONE.

NILES, July 6—In company with three friends, Robert Tyson, the well known juvenile court officer, felled a buck on the headwaters of the Valpey this week. With him was Henry Tyson, Fred Davis and Harry Abrott. Abrott stirred up a big one and shot at it and says he thinks perhaps injured the animal's leg.

The party report evidences of many deer in the mountains.

DEER HUNTERS ARE NUMEROUS.

NILES, July 5—Every sportsman who likes the deer chase, is either home from a trip to the hills, is there now or is planning on how soon he can make the trip. Several from here were out this week, and nearly all parties have been successful in getting some good shots. Cal Drennan brought the first piece of meat into town, saying he found a three-pointer early Monday morning. Dan Greenwood sent one down from the hills back of Livermore, where he and a party of others were out camped, bright and early when the season opened. Others are out, too, and have sent back word that plenty of "sign" can be seen.

THE GREGORY HOUSE AT CENTERVILLE CHANGES HANDS

CENTERVILLE, July 6—The Gregory House, one of the best known hotels on the main thoroughfare between Oakland and San Jose, has come under a new management, the partnership of Lucio & Berry, assuming control of that hostelry this week. The new firm intends renovating the place at once, the paint brush and the paper hanger to be busy for some little time to come in preparing the house for business. Both members of the new firm are peculiarly fitted for the new venture, Mr. Lucio being a former bar proprietor of Hanford and Mr. Berry having engaged in the hotel business in a number of places before his coming here. Especial attention will be given to the dining room portion of the business and the new proprietors assure the public that no fear need be entertained but that the very best will be at the disposal of patrons at all times.

Lucio & Berry say that the Gregory House will soon be known as one of the best in the township and from what is known of the two new proprietors, and from present appearances, indications are that such will soon be the fact.

PRESENTATIONS TO THE MASONIC HOME

DECOTO, July 5—The grand secretary of the grand lodge of California, Brother J. Whicher and his wife, have presented to the Masonic Home a beautiful picture representing a scene in Golden Gate Park, San Francisco. Past Master C. E. Jackson, of Pacific lodge, of San Francisco, and his wife have also presented an exquisite oil painting, one of Mrs. Jackson's art productions. The painting represents a rose bowl filled with large red roses and foliage, and is a masterpiece. Mrs. Jackson is renowned in art circles for her artistic work. The library catalogue has also been added to through the kindness of Mr. W. T. Machen of Oakland, who presented a complete, beautifully bound set of Balzac's works, comprising 30 volumes.

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A Glorified Bread Pudding—Soak the left-over bread in as much milk as will cover it; wash it fine as can be; add more milk, the yolks of two eggs, a liberal supply of raisins (ac- cording to size of the dish), sugar to taste, half a cup of shredded co- coanut and a quarter of a cup of or- ange marmalade. When pudding is baked add whipped whites of egg to the top and brown in over for a few moments. Eat cold with either table or whipped cream. It is delicious. Two different puddings can be made by using all marmalade in one and all cocoanut in another. Never omit the raisins.

Apricot Souffle—Rub a cup of fresh apricots through a sieve. Put in a saucepan and bring to boiling point; add half cup of sugar, six drops almond extract and whites of three eggs beaten to a stiff froth and mix well with the fruit. Turn into small molds that have been greased and sprinkled with sugar. Turn into a molding pan containing hot water enough to come half way up the sides of the molds and bake until firm—about 20 minutes.

Milk Sherbet—Add one and one-half cups of sugar to a quart of rich sweet new milk; stir till dissolved; turn into a freezer and freeze until just beginning to set; then add the juice of two and rind of one lemon and finish freezing. This will be found a bonanza.

BAKED APPLES—(New Style)—Peel and core in the old way (the large Newtown pippins are the best) cut into halves and make a little ditch in each half. Fill that with orange marmalade and when apples are baked add a flavored meringue of whites of eggs on top; brown it for a moment in the oven and serve it cold. The best marmalade I know of; equal to Keiller's of "Bonnie Dundee."

Take six large oranges and cut in- to quarters; remove pulp and slice thin as possible. To each pound of the above add three pints of cold water. Let stand for 24 hours, then boil until tender, when it must stand another 24 hours. To each pint add a pound of granulated sugar and boil about two hours. Just be- fore taking off add the juice of four lemons.

Heaven's Hash—Take equal parts of bananas, strawberries and pine- apple; cut them into slices; mix and sprinkle with sugar and serve with whipped cream.

Cocoanut Bread—(for Sunday ar- afternoon teas)—Four cups of well sifted flour, four heaping teaspoons of baking powder, level teaspoon of salt, half a cup of granulated sugar and more if sweet bread is liked, cup of shredded cocoanut and well beaten egg and two cups of milk. Let dough stand in tins for 20 min- utes to rise and then bake in slow oven for three-quarters of an hour, or an hour if well baked wholesome bread is liked. This amount will make two loaves and it is very deli- cious. The same formula will make either raisin or nut bread when a change is desired. Many people prefer these breads to cake.

Cocoanut Salad—Equal quantities of shredded cocoanut and apples pared and chopped, and of celery shredded instead of chopped, two ta- blespoons of onions chopped fine; a tablespoon of parsley coarsely chop- ped, three chili peppers. Mix and cover with French dressing, chill and serve in lettuce shell or in scoop- ed out tomatoes.

GOOD THINGS FOR DINNER.

Flank Roll—Procure from your but- cher a flank roll, plunge it into a ket- tle of boiling water and simmer un- til it is tender. Put plenty of whole peppers (black) into the water, but do not salt until it is at least half

done. When ready to take from the kettle, drain, cool, and set in refrig- erator to "Klondyke" overnight. Slice and serve with pickled beet.

Beef Pickle—Quart each of boil- ed and chopped red beets and raw chopped cabbage, cup sugar and a quarter teaspoon cyanne pepper, salt- ing to taste and vinegar to cover; add last three-quarters of a cup of grated horseradish. If fresh is not procurable, may use evaporated; in that case third of a cup of dry pow- der will be sufficient.

Welsh Potatoes—Take new pota- toes and wash, scrape, boil in well salted water; drain from water. Take a spider put in half lard and half butter, fry the potatoes whole until well browned and crusted. Serve hot. Be sure you do it on a gas, gasoline, oil or electric stove, as at this time of the year the wood or coal fire will make it too hot for the "perspiring cook."

Peach Pudding—After peeling, slice six large freestone peaches, sprinkle with sugar and set aside. Put a pint of milk into a double boil- er, heating to scalding point; thick- en with two tablespoons corn starch and let cook several minutes so the pudding will not taste starchy. Add pinch of salt and well beaten yolks of two eggs. Take from stove and whip into well beaten whites of two eggs. Flavor with vanilla. Take a glass pudding dish and put in half of the custard. Spread over the cus- tard the remaining peaches and over them pour the remaining custard. Make the pudding early in the morn- ing, set in refrigerator until noon or evening and you will be more than pleased with the result.

Tea Julep—Make twice as much tea as your family would drink hot. Strain and cool. Serve in glasses with lump of ice, slice of lemon and sprig of mint in each. It is better to allow the drinker to put his own sugar in. Have the rest of the tea ready, as each one will want his glass filled.

Sherbets—When making sherbets always cook the sugar and water, but never for more than three min- utes. If the water and sugar boil too long, it will have a dense syrup that will not freeze and the ice in- stead of being hard, will be mushy. Ice made with gelatine is cooler to the throat than one made with corn- starch or flour. Plenty of salt must be used with ice when the freezer is repacked if you want the ice hard.

Apricot Sherbet (for one gallon)—Quart of cooked apricots put through a fruit press, a pound of sugar boiled with a quart of water, two or three minutes, two sheets of gelatine or two tablespoons of powdered gela- tine dissolved in boiling syrup, then strain into apricots the juice of six lemons, whites of two stiffly beaten eggs. Mix all together and pour into freezer can. If there is not enough to fill the can two-thirds full add more water. Freeze, let stand three hours and serve.

Lemon Sherbet—For one gallon of sherbet take five pints of water, five cups of sugar, four tablespoons of flour (or two tablespoons powdered gelatine), three-quarters of a cup of lemon juice, and whites of six eggs. Boil water sugar and flour three minutes and allow the mixture to cool; add the lemon juice, and then freeze.

Lemon Sherbet with Milk—Scald a quart of milk with the thin yellow rind of a lemon; strain and cool. Put into a freezer and freeze until about half done, then add the juice of three lemons with as much sugar as the lemon juice will take up and the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs. Continue freezing until mixture is hard. Repack with salt and ice and let stand for three hours before serving.

he had encountered few obstacles. For the final dash the weather was perfect and everything went accord- ing to program.

The success of the expedition, the men declared, was largely due to the efficiency of the dogs. There were 13 to each of the four sledges. The men say the greatest difficulty they en- countered was in crossing the 11,000-foot mountains.

A great reception is being arrang- ed for the men at Bergen. Some of them will undoubtedly sign again with Captain Amundsen, who is still at Buenos Ayres, for his cruise in the Northwest passage.

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AMUNDSEN AND CREW PASS THROUGH LONDON

A special dispatch to the San Fran- cisco Chronicle from London, Eng- land, says that 14 bronzed members of the crew of the Fram who were with Amundsen in his famous dash for the South Pole passed through London last week on their way from Buenos Ayers to Norway. Four of the men, Bjaaland, Hassel, Hansen and Wisting, got to the Pole with Amundsen. All of the men refused to talk, as they were pledged to se- crecy, because of the forthcoming publication of Captain Amundsen's book. They admitted, however, that Amundsen was very lucky and that

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IMPORTANT NOTICE TO VOTERS
OF REGISTRATION

Office of John P. Cook, County Clerk,
Oakland, Alameda County, Cal.

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of Section 1094 of the Political Code of the State of California, all voters of Alameda County must apply for re-registration in order to be able to vote at the primary election to be held on September 3, 1912, and for the general election to be held on the 5th day of November, 1912.

Owing to the fact that there is no provision of law granting assistance to the County Clerk in the registration of voters, it is important that voters should apply for registration at once in order to expedite the work.

Such re-registration began on the first day of January and will be in progress at all times until August 3rd, 1912, for the purpose of enabling voters to qualify for the Primary Election after which registration will again open and continue until October 5th, 1912, for the purpose of enabling voters to qualify for the general election to be held November 5th, 1912.

The attention of voters is especially directed to the recent decision of the Supreme Court, in which it is held that all voters must have registered this year in order to join in the signing of any certificate of nomination in behalf of any candidates for public office to be voted for at the primary election, to be held September 3rd, 1912.

Attention is further directed to the following provisions of the Political Code of the State of California, relating to registration.

SEC. 1097. No person's name must be entered by the clerk unless:

1. Upon the production and filing of a certified copy of the judgment of the Superior Court directing such entry to be made.

2. If a naturalized citizen, upon the production of his certificate of naturalization, which certificate must be issued ninety days prior to the succeeding election, or upon his affidavit that it is lost or out of his possession, which affidavit must state the place of his nativity, and the time and place of his naturalization, together with his affidavit that he has resided in the United States for five years, and in this state for one year next preceding the time of application, and that he would be an elector of the county or city and county at the next succeeding election; provided, however, if such naturalized citizen shall have been previously registered as a qualified elector in any of the counties or cities and counties of this State, and shall produce a certificate of such registration, issued by the party authorized by law to issue such certificate, which shall recite the time and place of naturalization of such elector, such certificate shall be prima facie evidence of his naturalization. In the event that such naturalized citizen shall state in his affidavit that he was naturalized in the county or city and county in which he seeks to register, or in the event that he was previously registered within the preceding eight years within the county or city and county in which he seeks to register, and his certificate of naturalization has not been revoked, he shall not be required to produce his certificate of naturalization, nor to make such affidavit of lost certificate in lieu thereof, provided, however, that in any county or city and county where the affidavits of registration have been destroyed by fire or conflagration, or other public calamity, the above stated provisions as to previous registration within the preceding eight years shall in such county or city and county, apply only for such number of years past as there shall exist a record of previous registration, and not to exceed in any event said eight years.

3. If born in a foreign country, upon his affidavit that he became a citizen of the United States by virtue of the naturalization of his father, while he was residing in the United States and under the age of twenty-one years, and that he is or would be an elector of the county at the next ensuing election.

4. In all other cases, upon the affidavit of the party that he is or will be an elector of the county at the next succeeding election. Such affidavit must be made before the county clerk or officer charged with the registration of voters, or their deputy. If any elector is absent from the county in which he claims residence, he may appear before any judge or clerk of any court of record, or notary public, or if in a foreign country, before any minister, consul, or vice-consul of the United States, and make and subscribe an affidavit as to his residence, specifying in what ward or precinct he claims residence; that he will be necessarily and unavoidably absent from said county, or city and county, on all the days allowed by law for general registration of electors, and setting forth in such affidavit each and all the matters required by section one thousand and ninety-six of the Political Code of the State of California, and forward such affidavit, duly authenticated as above, by mail, enclosed in an envelope, addressed to the county clerk of any county, or the registrar of voters in any city and county. Upon receipt of such affidavit by such clerk or such registrar of voters within the time allowed by law for registration, it shall entitle the name of such elector to be entered by the clerk in the proper register in such precinct.

5. In every case the affidavit of the party must show all the facts required to be stated in the entry on the register, except the date of the entry.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavits of registration must be sworn to before the County Clerk or his deputies and that they cannot, owing to the provisions of the registration law be sworn before any other officer.

The office of the County Clerk will be open for registration until further notice from 9 o'clock a. m. until 5 o'clock p. m. of each day except Saturdays, on which day the office will close at 12 o'clock noon.

JOHN P. COOK,
County Clerk.

Dated March 11, 1912.
(Seal.)

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the High School Board of Union High School No. 2 of Alameda County, State of California, hereby calls for bids for the exterior and interior painting and tinting of the High school building and annex thereto and all sheds, tank house and fences located on the High school grounds of said High School District, in the Town of Centerville, Alameda county, California, in accordance with specifications prepared therefore by F. D. Voorhees, an architect, and marked as filed by the Clerk of this Board on the 17th day of May, A. D. 1912, to which specifications reference is hereby made.

For a more detailed statement of the work to be done and the materials to be supplied hereunder, copies of said specifications may be obtained from A. T. Biddle, Clerk of said Board, and from F. D. Voorhees, whose office is in the Albany block, at Fifteenth and Broadway streets, Oakland, California.

All bids must be sealed and addressed to A. T. Biddle, Clerk of the High school Board and must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, (\$200.00), which sum must be made payable to the order of A. T. Biddle, Clerk of the High school Board.

All bids must be delivered at the offices of the High school Board, located at the store of F. T. Hawes, in the town of Centerville, Alameda county, California, prior to the hour of 8 o'clock p. m., on Monday, the 8th day of July, A. D. 1912.

All bids will be opened by the said High school Board on Monday, the 8th day of July, A. D. 1912, at the hour of 8:10 o'clock p. m., at the office of said Board, located as above stated.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the High School Board of Union High School District No. 2, of Alameda county. Dated June 14, 1912.

A. T. BIDDLE,

Clerk of the Board of Union High School District No. 2, of Alameda County.

6-22-29-7-6-12

School Bond Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given to the electors of ALVISO SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ALAMEDA COUNTY, State of California, that in accordance with the provisions of the Political Code of the State of California, governing such elections, an election has been called to be held and the same will be held at the place hereinafter designated in ALVISO SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ALAMEDA COUNTY, State of California, on Saturday, the 20th day of July, A.D. 1912, from 11 o'clock a. m. of said day, until the hour of 4 o'clock p. m., of said day, during which period of time the polls will be continuously open, at which time and place there will be submitted to the electors of said ALVISO SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ALAMEDA COUNTY, the question whether or not the bonds of said school district shall be issued and sold to the amount of Seven Thousand Dollars, (\$7000.00), bearing interest and payable as hereinafter specified for the purpose of raising money:

For building one school building;
For insuring said school building;
For supplying said school building with furniture and necessary apparatus; and
For improving the school grounds of said school building.

The question of issuing bonds to make all of the outlays hereinabove set forth will be submitted to the electors of ALVISO SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ALAMEDA COUNTY as one proposal;

The said bonds hereby proposed to be issued and sold will be of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), each and will bear interest at the rate of five per cent. (5 per cent.), per annum, which interest shall be payable semi-annually; that said proposed bonds and the interest thereon will be made payable in Gold Coin of the Government of the United States; that said proposed bonds are to be numbered consecutively from One (1) to and including fourteen (14); are to be issued and sold to the amount of Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7000.00); are to run not exceeding Fourteen (14) years from the date thereof, and are to mature as follows, to-wit:

Bond number One (1) to mature One (1) year from the date thereof;
Bond number two (2) to mature two (2) years from the date thereof;
Bond number three (3) to mature three (3) years from the date thereof;
Bond number four (4) to mature four (4) years from the date thereof;
Bond number five (5) to mature five (5) years from the date thereof;
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six (6) years from the date thereof;
Bond number seven (7) to mature seven (7) years from the date thereof;

Bond number eight (8) to mature eight (8) years from the date thereof;
Bond number nine (9) to mature nine (9) years from the date thereof;

Bond number ten (10) to mature ten (10) years from the date thereof;
Bond number eleven (11) to mature eleven (11) years from the date thereof;

Bond number twelve (12) to mature twelve (12) years from the date thereof;
Bond number thirteen (13) to mature thirteen (13) years from the date thereof;

Bond number fourteen (14) to mature fourteen (14) years from the date thereof.

That certain building known as the Alvizo School House, located on the northeast side of County Road running from Alvarado to Centerville midway between Alvarado and Centerville in ALVISO DISTRICT OF ALAMEDA COUNTY has been designated and selected by the Board of Trustees of ALVISO SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ALAMEDA COUNTY as the polling place within said School District where said election must and will be held;

That the following named persons, each a qualified elector of said school district, are the officers of election appointed by the Board of Trustees of ALVISO SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ALAMEDA COUNTY to conduct said election, to-wit: Joseph S. Secada has been appointed Inspector of said election, and Frank George and John Dee have been appointed Judges of said election; that said Inspector so named and the said Judges so named have been appointed such officers of election to conduct said election;

That said election will be held in accordance with the provisions of Article XXI, Chapter III, Title III, Part III of the Political Code of the State of California governing such elections.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF we have hereunto set our hands this 17th day of June A. D., 1912.

J. F. ROSE,

JOSEPH LEWIS,

T. P. MACHADO,

As and comprising all the members of the Board of Trustees of Alvizo School District of Alameda County.

ATTEST:

J. F. ROSE,

Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Alvizo School District of Alameda County, State of California.

6-22-29-7-6-12.

Notice of Hearing Application for Liquor License

Notice is hereby given that Monday, the 15th day of July, 1912, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., at the rooms of the Board of Supervisors, in the annex to the Hall of Records, in the City of Oakland, has been fixed as the time and place for hearing the application of

JOE G. ROSE & SON

to obtain a renewal of a license for the sale of liquor at Alvarado, in Alvarado Election Precinct.

JOHN P. COOK,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Dated, Oakland, Cal., June 24, 1912. 6-29-7-6-13-12.

Office of the Assessor of Alameda County

Poll Tax Notice

Oakland, March 11, 1912.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1912 is now due, and payable at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3339 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the state over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH AND THE FIRST MONDAY IN AUGUST

Then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3346 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person.

Under Sections 429 and 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of \$500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

C. F. HORNER,

Assessor of Alameda County.

Oakland, Cal.

TY COBB TWICE;

A UNIQUE PHOTOGRAPH

A photograph of the Detroit Tigers reproduced in the July Popular Mechanics Magazine, has created much comment, in that Ty Cobb, considered one of the greatest, if not the greatest baseball player in the world to-day, appears twice. The way in which he succeeded in appearing twice, however, is a very simple matter. The camera used to take the picture was of the panorama type, which was made to revolve very slowly from left to right, exposing but a small portion of the film at one time. Cobb stood third from the left end of the line of players when the camera started and as soon as the lens had passed him he sprinted around back of the camera and was standing at the right of the line before the camera reached the end of the picture.

Drink Hopsburger. Best yet. Ask the man.

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Office of the Assessor of Alameda County

Notice to Taxpayers

Oakland, March 11, 1912.

All persons, firms, companies, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before April 1, 1912, a statement under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned, or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1912,

in accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in section 3629, Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before April 1, 1912, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1912.

ASSESSMENT BLANKS may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

C. F. HORNER,

Assessor of Alameda County.

Oakland, California.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Notice is hereby given that the Niles Grammar School Board hereby calls for bids for a septic tank system to meet the requirements of school building of six class rooms and assembly hall, located on the Shinn ranch, Niles, Cal.

Further information may be obtained from Chas. Evans, clerk of said Board.

All bids must be delivered at the office of the clerk of the Board at the Niles State Bank, prior to the hour of 7:30 o'clock, p. m., Saturday, July 13th, 1912.

All bids will be opened by the Board on Saturday evening, July 13th, 1912, at the hour of 8 p. m.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

CHAS. EVANS,

Clerk of Board of Trustees of the Niles School District.

Dated Niles, Cal., June 25, 1912.

6-29-7-6-13-12.

Notice of Hearing Application for Liquor License.

Notice is hereby given that Monday, the 22d day of July, 1912, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., at the rooms of the Board of Supervisors, in the annex to the Hall of Records, in the City of Oakland, has been fixed as the time and place for hearing the application of

SILVA & RUSCHIN

to obtain a license for the sale of liquor at Newark, in Newark Election Precinct.

The following named have recommended the granting of said license, viz: Julius Martin, Frank Nunes, Manuel P. Rose, M. P. Silva, Wm. Delaney, H. A. Snow, D. Falk, E. T. Stevenson.

JOHN P. COOK,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Dated Oakland, Cal., July 1, 1912.

7-6-13-20-12.

Notice of Hearing Application for Liquor License.

Notice is hereby given that Monday, the 22d day of July, 1912, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., at the rooms of the Board of Supervisors, in the annex to the Hall of Records, in the City of Oakland, has been fixed as the time and place for hearing the application of

M. LUCIO & C. W. BERRY

to obtain a license for the sale of liquor at Centerville, in Centerville Election Precinct.

The following named have recommended the granting of said license, viz: M. F. Silva, M. S. Pires, Jr., Sigmund Salz, Antonio Lucio, A. Oliveira, J. S. Bell, C. S. Augusto, F. F. Hawes, Frank S. Francis.

JOHN P. COOK,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Dated Oakland, Cal., July 1, 1912.

7-6-13-20-12.

OUR FUNNY
MAN'S COLUMN

Hard on Him.

"What is your name, my boy?" the teacher asked of the new pupil.

"I'll write it down for you, miss," said the new boy, hesitatingly.

"You needn't. My hearing is quite good," said the teacher, losing some of her urbanity. "Tell me your name, please."

"I'd rather not tell you, miss."

"What are you ashamed of your name?"

"No, miss; but—"

"Then don't waste any time like this, if you please. What is your name?"

The boy drew a long breath and began desperately:

"Kuk-kuk-ku-Clarence. That's my first name. The other one is Pup-pup-pup-Perkins. I never stutter 'cept when I try to say my name"—his tone was resentful—"and when I'm tagged like this it makes me worse!"

The two ladies had been to the opera, and going home in the car they discussed the evening's amusement.

"I think 'Lohengrin' is just splendid!" murmured the lady in the large hat as she handed the conductor a nickel for her fare.

"Do you?" asked her friend in the purple velvet with a superior smile.

"I think its not bad, but I just love 'Carmen.'"

The conductor blushed all over his plain features.

"Sorry, miss," he murmured apologetically, "I'm married. You might try the motorman, though; he's a single man."

The hours were flying by, and still Algy, the bore, remained with her.

"Do you like music?" she inquired listlessly.

"Yes," he replied, "I'm always carried away with music."

She flew to the piano and played several airs. Then she turned and looked at him.

"You are not gone yet?"

"No," he answered.

"But you told me music always carried you away."

"Yes," he retorted, "but I said music."

"Going to get out here and stretch your legs?" asked the traveling man of his companion as the train stopped.

"What place is it?" inquired the other.

"Los Angeles."

"No, I had one leg stretched here once."

"I want to see you tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock on something important."

"What do you want to see me then for?"

"I want to pay you the \$5 I am going to touch you for now."

"Plague take that girl!"

"My friend, that is the most beautiful girl in town."

"That may be, but she obstructs my view of second base."

"What is the difference between pomme de terre and potato?"

"About two dollars."

"Father," asked the small boy at an editor, "is Jupiter inhabited?"

"I don't know, my son," was the truthful answer.

Presently he was interrupted again.

"Father, are there any sea serpents?"

"I don't know my son."

The little fellow was manifestly cast down, but presently rallied and again approached the great source of information:

"Father what does the North Pole look like?"

But alas, again the "answer," "I don't know, my son."

At last in desperation, he inquired with withering emphasis: "Father: how did you get to be an editor?"

"Remember, boys," said the teacher, "that in the brightest lexicon of youth, there's no such word as fail."

After a few moments a boy raised his hand.

"Well, what is it, Socrates?" asked the teacher.

"I was merely going to suggest," replied the youngster, "that if such is the case, it would be advisable to write to the publishers of that lexicon and call their attention to the omission."

"It seems to me," said a customer to his barber, "that you ought to be lower in your price for a shave, in these hard times."

The barber shook his head sadly, and said:

"Can't be done. Nowadays, since

the Union Labor party is out of office, everybody wears such a long face that we have a good deal more surface to go over."

"Pa," said a boy to his father, "are the angels men or women?"

"Always men, my boy," replied his father.

"But, pa," replied the boy, "I have never seen pictures of angels with whiskers."

"Well," replied the father, "it is only possible for men to become angels by a close shave."

Gabe—What are you going back to Monte Rio for this summer? Why, last year it was all mosquitos and no fishing.

Steve—The owner tells me he has crossed the mosquitos and fish, and ugarantees a bite every minute.

"What is horse sense?"

"The kind that keeps a man from mortgaging his home to buy an automobile."

CLUB WOMEN DISCUSS CONSERVATION

Conservation in all its branches was discussed by the club women

Monday afternoon at a meeting in Doric hall, Golden Gate Commandry.

Mrs. Emmons Crocker, of Fitchburg, Mass., chairman of the conservation department of the federation, presided.

An interesting conservation exhibit was arranged in Doric hall, and kept open there until the close of the convention. The exhibit consisted of photographs and maps representing the work of the federal forest service and especially the California and Pennsylvania forest service, of agricultural scenes, illustrations of waterways and copies of forest regulations.

Mrs. M. L. Dock, of Fayetteville, Pa., is vice chairman of the department; Mrs. Lovell White of San Francisco, chairman of forestry; Mrs. J. D. Wilkinson of Shreveport, La., is chairman of the waterways department.

Among the speakers who addressed the conference were Mrs. A. Barton Miller of South Carolina, president of the woman's rivers and harbors congress.—S. F. Call.

SAN LEANDRO GETS LOWER WATER RATE

LOCAL NEWS

WARM SPRINGS

Frank Brandon of Pittsburg, is the guest of his parents here, for a few days.

Arthur Pearson of Vallejo is enjoying a week's vacation at his home here.

Joseph Brown has fully recovered from his recent illness, and is about again.

Mrs. Andrade of Edenvale, visited with her brother's folks here this week.

A little son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herzog last Sunday morning.

Arthur Curtner made a flying trip to Modesto on Tuesday in a new Mitchell car.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Curtner entertained a number of relatives at a dinner last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Azevedo entertained relatives from San Mateo over Saturday and Sunday.

Johnnie Andrade has returned to his home after an extended visit with his grandparents at Edenvale.

Sivain Pearson is home for a few months vacation. He is entertaining Carl Stackler of Oakland for a few days.

Mr. Furtado's little daughter is doing nicely, after an operation on her throat. Dr. Wyland of San Jose, performed the operation.

On Thursday, of last week, Mr. Lawrence took a party of friends on a launch ride to Alviso. Among the party were several from Irvington.

Mr. and Mrs. Beard and daughter returned to their home in Modesto on Wednesday, in their new car, which they recently purchased from Osen & Hunter in San Jose.

Mr. and Mrs. Allard motored to Oakland Saturday, returning Sunday. Miss Florence, who has been spending a week with relatives in that place, accompanied them back on their return.

Joseph Deal has won the distinction of being the first hunter in the township to secure a deer this season. Early Monday morning, while tramping over the hills of Calaveras, he saw and killed a four spike buck, weighing, when dressed, 104 pounds. His many friends have been feasting on choice venison.

George Rohrbach and John Gomez encountered a huge rattlesnake near Mission Peak on Wednesday, which measured four and a half feet in length and had 13 rattles.

Tony Silva is contemplating leaving for San Gregorio soon, where he will engage in business. Ask him what Centerville will do without him.

NEWARK

W. Brent was in town Wednesday. Ed Falk is in San Mateo, the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Zellerbach.

Mrs. M. Lagorio of Alameda, was a visitor of Mrs. Ed Delaney this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Metcalf visited with relatives in San Francisco Wednesday.

Dorothy Fowler of San Francisco, is spending her vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. H. E. Fowler.

Pay day yesterday at the stove works and merchants were busy after working hours, cashing checks.

Walter Bollman, who has been working for Miss Mary Brown, was taken to the infirmary yesterday, unable to continue his duties longer.

Newark lost the ball game on the Fourth at Irvington, the Niles crowd managing to put one over on the home team. Explanations as to the reasons have been many, ever since. Some say it was because "Jumbo" Wales had a sore finger, others say it was because the time had come to lose and still others say it was due to a reason best not made public. Whatever the cause, however, the Newark fellows are not going to allow any more of the same stories to get afloat, and promise that from now on the usual winning streak is to be theirs.

Louis Ruschin, Billy Claxton and Proc Steinhoff left today for a few days hunt in the hills surrounding the Jacob's camp on the Alameda. Some of the boys say that when the party returns there will be a few less buck on the mountain side, but some are so unreasonable as to assert that none of the feet-footed ones should have a fear. Whatever the outcome the crowd has promised so much venison within the last day or so, that if all promises are fulfilled, it will be a wonder is the limit-law is not broken.

NILES

Ehrman Babb visited his mother this week.

Mrs. Jacobus spent the first of the week in Oakland.

Dr. Sontheimer of Oakland, spent the week end in Niles.

Mrs. Chittenden has a friend from Washington visiting her.

Mrs. Dick Hunt spent a day shopping in Oakland this week.

Miss DeCora spent several days visiting in Oakland this week.

Mrs. Patrick of Oakland, visited a week with Mrs. Clough recently.

Lorené Phillips is spending her vacation with relatives in Sacramento.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Windrom were the guests of Mrs. Youngman this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Killion and children are spending the week with Mrs. A. Kell.

Mrs. Mayhew journeyed to the bay district for a day or two's stay this week.

The Dilliards of Elmhurst, were the guests of the Baldwin family last Sunday.

Sydney Tyson, Roy Pearce and Frank Mendoza spent the Fourth in Oakland.

Clifton McCormick is spending his vacation with his aunt Mrs. C. E. Fournier.

Mrs. Brunelli and Miss Mary Bertelozzi visited friends in the city this week.

Mrs. M. J. Connors has been ill this week, but is now able to be about again.

Mrs. Reaveley and little brother have gone up to Jackson to make a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibson spent the week end with their brother, Mr. W. E. Gibson.

Mrs. Edward Scott of Santa Ana, was the guest of Mrs. Chapman, a day this week.

W. A. Russell, formerly with the Essanay Company, is visiting with friends in town.

Mrs. W. Champion, who has been quite ill for the past two weeks, is now improving.

Miss Edna Tyson is spending a few weeks in Stockton with her cousin, Miss Pearl Leffler.

Miss Nellie Schenbroch of San Francisco, is spending the week end with Mrs. C. E. Fournier.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones left on their summer vacation Monday. They expect to be gone a month.

Miss Ida Chaix spent the latter part of last week in Pleasanton as the guest of Mrs. Wm. King.

Miss Harriett Ellsworth left Tuesday for Lake county, where she intends to spend her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Powell, formerly of Niles, spent the Fourth visiting their friends in this vicinity.

C. A. Estes of the Sebring Pottery Company of Sebring, Ohio, made a business visit to Niles this week.

Jesse Robbins of the Essanay Company, attended the Wolgast-Rivers fight in Los Angeles on the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. Riddell of Chicago, made a short visit with relatives in Niles on Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Ismert of Oakland, visited her mother Mrs. M. Scott, and sister, Mrs. J. A. Easterday, on Friday.

Clara and Amy Struble of Sutter Creek, are spending the summer with their sister, Mrs. M. L. Fournier.

Mr. and Mrs. Deriblis visited with Robert Deriblis a day this week, driving from San Mateo by auto.

A pleasant surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Fournier last week, the event being their wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson spent Sunday at Sunol. Master Lawrence Christie returned with them to spend the week.

Miss Elsie Stoltz of Santa Rosa, who is attending the summer school at Berkeley, visited in Niles a day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Halterman of Sacramento, spent two weeks with the latter's sisters, Mrs. Fournier and Mrs. Phillips.

Mrs. Babb accompanied her son to Tracy on Tuesday, going there by train. They returned by auto Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Benson, of the A. T. Ames pump works, left Niles on Tuesday to set up a pump from the local plant in Spokane, Washington.

Mrs. Nancy Jones and Carr Jones of Berkeley, and Miss Dora Meyers and Miss Viola Chew of Alviso, are visiting Mrs. Ed Drennan.

Reverend Jones and wife were the guests of the Ellsworths on a trip to Los Gatos and other points in that district last week.

Messrs. Fred Krell and William Smith, Misses Fay Smith and Lucille McDuff, of Berkeley, spent the Fourth with Mrs. Green.

Mrs. H. B. Green and the twins have returned from Berkeley, accompanied by Mrs. Fred Krell and son, who will visit her for several days.

Mr. George McCormick accompanied by Miss Hattie Oswalt, came down from Sacramento on a motorcycle and spent Saturday night with Mrs. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Sneden left Tuesday for a vacation. Mr. Eastland of San Francisco, will wait upon customers and put up prescriptions during Mr. Sneden's absence.

The Misses Annie Block and Edith Utendoeffer and Mrs. Allan Bruce of Pleasanton, were visitors in Niles Sunday, taking dinner at the Niles hotel, with M. J. Connors as host.

Mrs. J. A. Easterday and Mrs. R. L. Chase made a trip to San Jose on Tuesday evening to attend the installation of the officers of Vallhalla Circle, and fancy drill of the guards.

During the absence of Mr. and Mrs. William Moore this week, Mrs. Coyne, who is Mrs. Moore's mother, has stopped at the Moore home. With her has been the Misses Katheryn Townes and Noma Dickerson, both of Oakland.

William Moore and wife left Tuesday for a trip to Medford, Oregon, and other points. While away Mr. Moore will indulge in a little fishing and outdoor sport in northern waters and climes. Both will return early in the coming week.

Charles Overacker made a flying trip to Dutch Flat last week to see his wife, who was not feeling well. He returned the first of the week and reports that she had recovered. He also brings word that the family are enjoying the mountain visit greatly.

Miss Amy Duarte was hostess Sunday to Miss Theresa Rodriguez and Messrs. Young and Rodriguez of Oakland. Mr. Young took the ladies for a joy ride through Centerville, Niles canyon and back again. Miss Rodriguez is spending a vacation of two weeks with Miss Duarte.

William Morgan, one of Niles' carpenters, has just finished the addition of a spacious veranda to the building occupied by M. Cavanaugh on Main street, providing convenient and airy quarters for the family, entrance being gained by a door leading from the upper story of the structure. Owing to the small working space available in the interior of the house, Mr. Morgan did some close figuring to provide a stairway and still not consume much room. This he did successfully. The veranda is covered by a neat roof, and altogether makes a pleasing appearance.

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CENTERVILLE

George Stinehilver is away on a vacation. He expects to return about the 10th of the month.

The Centerville junior baseball team will meet the Irvington youngsters this afternoon on the regular grounds.

Manuel M. Oliveira and wife have returned from a pleasant sojourn in the northern part of the state, stopping at Willows, where Mr. Oliveira has property.

The Gregory House has changed hands and is now operated by the partnership of Lucio & Berry. Many improvements are to be made at once and the hotel to be operated in a first class manner.

A great many of the Centerville folks attended the celebration of the Fourth at Irvington this week, showing their appreciation of the sister town's action of last year, when the proposed observance of the day was called off in order to prevent any detraction from the program here.

M. S. Simas returned from his deer hunt in Mendocino county this week with a good, fat one to his credit and also an extra set of horns, presented to him by one of the party. Simas says the hunters had a grand time and that all that he is waiting for is a chance to get his second one before the season closes.

One bay horse, about 5 years old, with left eye gone; also buckskin mare, weighing about 1100 pounds; 4 years old. Suitable reward will be paid for information of whereabouts or return of animals to Essanay Company, Niles, Cal. 20-1t.

BIG BRIDGE SECURED

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of the year and of all years this was the most favorable for the beginning and rapid completion of such work. He showed them that by doing the work at this time that thousands of dollars could be saved to the county because the contractors would not be compelled to allow for freshets and high water.

The four other supervisors took the view of the supervisor from the first district and when the vote came Supervisor J. D. Murphy had a solid board behind him. Supervisor Kelley even took the floor to say that he favored such improvements and he would only stand for first-class structures.

The board at once advertised for bids for the completion of the work and the whole district owes its thanks to Supervisor Murphy for what he has done, to bring about this desired result.

The new structure will be one of the handsomest bridges in the state of California. It will be of concrete reinforced steel. The length over all will be 512 feet with five spans. The roadway will be 24 feet with a sidewalk upon each side. As can be seen from the picture that is published this week, it will be a most ornamental structure, electric lighting being provided for from one end to the other.

Work will be forced with the greatest rapidity and it is expected that the whole structure will be completed before the winter rains set in.

The present bridge will be utilized by moving it a short distance up the canyon and placing it where there is now a ford on the road just this side of Clark's.

IRVINGTON

Irene Roderick has gone to Pacific Grove to spend a month.

Miss Esther Christensen has gone to Hayward to visit Miss Etta Schilling.

Mrs. Willie Babb of Oakland is visiting here with her sister Mrs. Al Hirsch.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Saxe of San Francisco, visited with relatives here over the Fourth.

Mrs. A. Lassen and daughter of Oakland, were visiting Mrs. E. Roderick over the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Bez and little son, have returned from Eureka and intend locating in this vicinity.

Tom Witherly purchased the stationery stock of Mrs. Hamilton's at the postoffice and is closing the same out at bargain prices.

Miss Elva Granville and Willie Granville spent the Fourth at the Witherly home. Miss Georgia Ames was also a visitor there.

Mrs. Lester Hamilton and little son have gone to Dunsmuir to join her husband. They will make their home at that place in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ismert and Wm. Ismert and wife and Miss Martha Mack of Oakland, came to their old home to help celebrate the Fourth.

The town was surely a lively spot over Independence Day, and entertained a good many hundreds of visitors. The reputation of the place in regard to celebrations suffered no setback from the one of 1912.

George Volante, who is one of these fellows who can handle himself pretty well with the padded mits, stopped in town yesterday. Volante is known to a good many local people and is always a welcome visitor in town.

—Does your house or barn need painting? If so see Young, at Niles Hotel.

—Don't get hot in Niles. Darrow will cool you off with ice cream.

—The Edison Picture Co. shows all new motion pictures at Maple Hall every Wednesday night. Admission 10c.

BURGLARS ARE CAPTURED

BREAKING INTO BOX CAR

MILPITAS, July 6.—While engaged in the act of breaking into a box car attached to a freight train at this place last Saturday evening about 6:30 o'clock, three men were seen by brakeman Maher and ordered to surrender. The trio started toward the brakeman and one of their number fired two shots at him. The shots went wild and the men fled. Early on Sunday morning, three men were arrested in a San Jose saloon and held on suspicion. At the city prison in San Jose on Sunday the brakeman who came near being murdered by one of the men, identified one of the prisoners as the man who fired the shot.

All three men deny having any hand in the box car robbery or shooting that occurred at the time, but

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HIKING TO ATLANTIC CITY.

NILES, July 5.—T. P. Orchard and L. C. Smith, two Santa Cruz lads, are walking to Atlantic City, and passed through Niles on their route the first of the week. Both expect to touch the boards of this famous eastern resort, long before snow flies, and say that within 100 or 120 days they will have reached their destination. They are not to work along the way, nor to ride, and must make their expenses by the sale of postal cards, on which appears their picture and a short announcement of the trip. They left the Casa del Rey hotel at 4 o'clock last Saturday afternoon and reached here Monday p. m. The route picked out takes them through most of the principal northern cities.

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